

Attorney's Docket No.: 042390P16902

Patent

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Kristopher J. Frutschy

Application No.: 10/630,583

Filed: July 29, 2003

For: A SOCKET FOR A MICROELECTRONIC
COMPONENT HAVING REDUCED
ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE AND
INDUCTANCE

Examiner: Thanh Tam T. Le

Art Unit: 2839

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows and that the following remarks be considered:

FIRST-CLASS CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

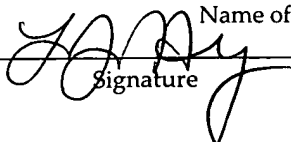
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450, on:

May 17, 2006

Date of Deposit

Lindsay J. Heyen

Name of Person Mailing Correspondence


Signature

5/17/06
Date

Kristopher J. Frutschy
Application No.: 10/630,583

Examiner: Thanh Tam T. Le
Art Unit: 2839